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TAGS: SENV, US, UR

SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT, ACTIVITY  
02.05-1109, EXCHANGE OF POPULAR INFORMATION

1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE DATED 16 AUGUST  
TO DR. V.V. KRINITSKY, MAIN CONSERVATION ADMINISTRATION,  
USSR MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, WITH COPY TO SEROECHKOVSKY,  
CENTRAL LABORATORY ON NATURE CONSERVATION, MINISTRY OF  
AGRICULTURE, AND TO KAZAKOV, HYDROMET.

2. 02.05-1109 16 AUGUST, 1977

DR. V.V. KRINITSKY  
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MAIN CONSERVATION ADMINISTRATION  
USSR MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE  
MOSCOW, USSR

DEAR VASILI VASILEVICH:

WE UNDERSTAND FROM A NEW YORK TIMES ARTICLE AUGUST 11TH

THAT TWO CALVES HAVE BEEN BORN TO THE MUSK OX THAT WERE  
TRANSPLANTED FROM NUNIVAK TO WRANGEL AND TAIMYR IN 1975  
UNDER PROJECT 02.05-21.

WE WOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO RECEIVE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
ON THE BIRTH, INCLUDING PHOTOS IN BLACK AND WHITE FOR POS-  
SIBLE PUBLICATION IN THE US. WE SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR  
HELP IN THIS MATTER. R.A. SRIABINE.

FOR BRYNES: SRIABINE BROUGHT TO STROTHER'S ATTENTION  
N.Y. TIMES PIECE ON MUSK OX. NOTHING ABOUT THIS HAS COME  
THROUGH OFFICIAL CHANNELS. STROTHER REQUESTS EMBASSY  
SUGGEST NEED TO KAZAKOV FOR OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION ON THIS  
SUBJECT. VANCE

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